GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3329
ANSWERED ON:19.03.2001
AIRCRAFT HANDLING CAPACITY
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal to increase aircraft handling capacity from 10-12 per hour to 35-40 per hour at New Delhi and Mumbai has been pending with the Government for clearance;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there is also any proposal for installation more up-to-date radar and navigational aids for safer landing and take off aircrafts; and

(d) if so, the present status thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a):- No Sir

(b):- Does not arise.

(c) & (d):- Airports Authority of India has provided State-of-the-Art equipment for Radar and Navigational Aidsand Landing Aids and other facilities at these two airports under the modernisation of Air Traffic Services at Mumbai-Delhi Projecta t a cost of Rs.423 crores. This system has been commissioned at Delhi in the year 1998 and at Mumbai in the year 1999.